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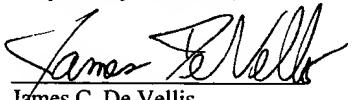
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	Filing Date	October 10, 2001
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	Group Art Unit	2829
	Examiner Name	Robert, Russell Marc
	Attorney Docket No.	QCS-003DV
	Patent No.	Not applicable
	Issue Date	Not applicable

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3. Applicant claims small entity status.

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Large Entity

Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
750	Utility filing fee	
330	Design filing fee	
160	Provisional filing fee	

Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Amount
Total Claims	- 20 =	x \$ 18.00 =	
Independent Claims	- 3 =	x \$ 84.00 =	

Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any

\$280.00 =

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2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES

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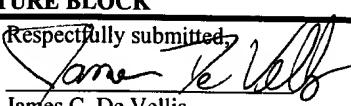
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TITLE: Apparatus and Method for Rapid Photo-Thermal Surface Treatment

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the Restriction Requirement, mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 30, 2003, in connection with the patent application identified above.

The Examiner has required Applicant to elect one of two perceived patentably distinct groups of claims: Group I (claims 18-26) and Group II (claims 27-29). Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, Group I (claims 18-26).

Applicant respectfully requests that the application now proceed promptly to examination. Included is a \$55 small entity fee check for a one month extension of time to respond under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1). Applicant believes that no additional fees are necessitated by the present Response. In the event, however, that any fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

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